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PATENT
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 040894-7130

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Akira OBUCHI et al.)	Confirmation No.: 2534
)	
Application No.: 10/521,774)	Group Art Unit: 3753
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371 Date: January 21, 2005)	Examiner: Unassigned
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For: HEAT EXCHANGER AND REACTOR)	
HEATER USING THE SAME)	

Commissioner for Patents
MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination of the above-identified application on the merits, please amend the application as follows: